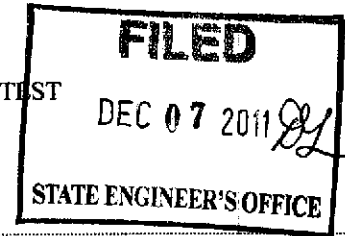


IN THE OFFICE OF THE STATE ENGINEER OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION NUMBER 81059
FILED BY Southern Nevada Water Authority
ON August 12, 20 11

PROTEST



Comes now Kim G. Bundy (Clarence A. Bundy Family Trust)

Printed or typed name of protestant

whose post office address is P.O. Box 264, Ruth, Nevada 89319

Street No. or PO Box, City, State and ZIP Code

whose occupation is Rancher/Miner

and protests the granting

of Application Number 81059

, filed on August 12

, 20 11

by Southern Nevada Water Authority

for the

waters of Frenchman Canyon

situated in North Spring Valley, White Pine

an underground source or name of stream, lake, spring or other source

County, State of Nevada, for the following reasons and on the following grounds, to wit:

Insufficient water in said drainage to satisfy existing water right # 4951.

See attached sheet.

THEREFORE the Protestant requests that the application be

DENIED

Denied, issued subject to prior rights, etc., as the case may be

and that an order be entered for such relief as the State Engineer deems just and proper.

Signed

Agent or protestant

Kim G. Bundy

Printed or typed name, if agent

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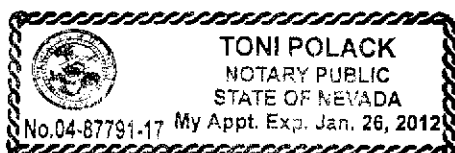
Phone Number

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E-mail

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5

day of December, 20 11



Notary Public

State of

Nevada

County of

White Pine

+ \$25 FILING FEE MUST ACCOMPANY PROTEST. PROTEST MUST BE FILED IN DUPLICATE.

ALL COPIES MUST CONTAIN ORIGINAL SIGNATURE.

Due to the ever increasing water right applications in Spring Valley by Southern Nevada Water Authority it very evident that their intent is to tie up any and all water they can get their hands on with the intent of somewhere down the road transferring such water rights down their pipeline to Las Vegas rather than using this water for irrigation and livestock purposes as they pretend to do (I live right in the middle of them) not only that, they are applying for wildlife water rights as well, which makes little sense due to last I checked they are not the Nevada Department of Wildlife.

I, Kim G. Bundy (Clarence A. Bundy Family Trust) current land owner and water right holder in North Spring Valley Nevada do hereby protest SNWA from being granted additional water rights in North Spring Valley, namely the Siegel Creek Drainage, Nigger Abe Creek Drainage, and Spring Valley Creek Drainage.

My reasoning for this is that these drainages pass through our property and affect our current water rights (Certificate No. 1210 Permit No. #3433 Seigel Creek) (Proof #01686 Seigel Creek) (Certificate No. 1209 Permit No. #4951).

Also these drainages most years run insufficient water to satisfy the existing water rights let alone surplus for addition water rights, thus it would overtax this limited amount of drainage beyond their limits.

This last year's runoff was an exception due to the exceptional fall and winter of 2010-2011. Once in a while, on a rare year such as last year, there is sufficient water to satisfy the current water rights but most years there is not. The water these drainages emit is dependent upon the amount of snowfall and accumulated annual precipitation and if a person will compare how this year is starting out compared with the amount of snow received by this time last year, this next year will not be so good. Normally the fall rains and early wet snow is what makes the difference. You can just look at the amount received thus far this winter (2011 - 2012) and unless we get a serious amount of snow during the remainder of this winter we are in for limited water year come spring.

In the 32 years that I have been in this part of the country I have seen several years in a row that we did not have enough water to irrigate our farm and have had to sell our livestock due to the lack of feed.

If SNWA is so intent on taking the water out of this valley then they should pay for it as we the residents of this valley have had to do with our blood, sweat, and tears. Their intent is to pipe it to Las Vegas and sell it for a profit.

For the good of all concerned the water in Spring Valley and surrounding valleys needs to stay here to provide the life giving resource for which it is intended thus allowing life to continue to survive here.

I fear the repercussions of the alternative.

 12-5-11